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A REBEL POET.

A SECESSION ILIAD.

The Southern literature for which our brethren in Dixie's land have long asked in vain seems at length to have a beginning. Richmond has produced a poet—or at least a poet-aster. There is, indeed, a familiar twang about some of his verses, as though the Southern Pegasus had contrcated the dishonest habits of Floyd, Thompson & Co., and got his rhymes as they got their muskets and millions. But we must not look a gift horse in the mouth, especially if he comes from Dixie. Let us accept what the gods—or their chivalric children—send. We have received, by the kindness of a friend lately from Richmond, a volume chanting the praises of the rebellion. Its title is: "The Rebelliad, by Hampton Sydney Boggs. Printed at Richmond, Va., C. S. A., 1862." Below we give the reader a taste of this the first fruits of the Confederate muse. It will be seen that the author treats of many things, though chiefly he treats of the virtues of those patriots and sages who, having fired the Southern heart, are now busily setting fire to the Southern hearth.

But to our extracts, without further preface. The poet begins, as is fit, with a vision of the future glory of the Confederacy, and the consequent ruin of the North:—

"Rapt into future times, the Muse surveys
The ripening wonders of succeeding days;
The hated Union broke, its splendors gone,
The cursed Yankees their hard fate bemoan;
While southern chivalry, in power and pride,
The wretched mudsills drive from side to side.
See them, at once of cotton and tobacco shorn,
Abject and crin-ing, southern gentry's scorn;
See commerce quit Manhatta's desolate isle,
To seek in South Carolina kinder soil;
See direct trade fill up our banks with gold,
While northern mudsills shiver in the cold.
As busy fancy paints the gaudy dream,
Ideal docks with shadowy navies teem;
Whate'er on sea, on lake, on river floats,
Ships, tug-boats, rafts, tubs and flat-bottomed boats,
Smiths, sailors, carpenters, in busy crowds,
Must, cable, yard, sail, bowsprit, anchor, shrouds,
Knives, gigs,, harpoons, swords, handspikes, cutlass blades,
Guns, pistols, swivels, cannons, carronades,
All rise to view! All blend in gorgeous show!
Cotton, tobacco, tar, pitch, turpentine and tow!"

And so on for a good many other lines, in which the Confederacy benefits by the ruin of the North. Before he gets through, however, our poet seems to have heard of another Union victory—perhaps the surrender of Fort Donnelson or the capture of Nashville—and his muse to the consideration of possible defeat, the consequences of which he depicts in such tremenduous colors as we should anticipate of a "fiery Southerner;"—

"Then will the southern chivalry expire,
And quench with federal blood their towns on fire,
Burn their last railroad bridge, whose tolls made Yankees rich;
Shoot their last nigger, and prepare the ditch,
The last of all, where they may dye their swords
In Yankee hearts of Lincoln's cowardly hordes."

Why the chivalry should prefer to die in a ditch—except, perhaps, that most of them have lived in a gutter—is more than we can guess. But our poet has evidently caught the general and very loudly expressed determination of the rebels to "die in the last ditch," and expresses it clumsily enough, but vigorously. A mere Northerner would choose a cleaner place than a ditch to die in, but there is no accounting for tastes, as the old woman said when she kissed her cow.

From some lines we are about to quote we are led to suspect that our author is one of the editors of the Richmond *Examiner*, a sheet which has helped on the Confederate cause mainly by criticisms of the conduct of the rebel leaders. The writer seems to have a particular animosity towards Mr. Rodger A. Pryor, the gentleman who was scared by Mr. Potter's ready acceptance of his challenge; and who, after infinite boasts and a tremenduous display of martial valor *before* the war, has, since hostilities broke out, attended sedulously to the peaceful and not laborious duties of Confederate Congressman. Of him it is written:—

"Posterior Pryor,
Pryor to bluster, Pryor to back out,
Pryor to prate, and Pryor in the route,
A swordless colonel, only brave in word,
First to urge battle, last to draw the sword;
Virginia's bully boy, so loud of mouth,
Terror of Yankees, darling of the South."

We think it likely that the poet knows his man, and, when writing this, provided himself with a second-hand bowie-knife, with the exhibition of which to calm Colonel Pryor's resentment.

Of that burly rebel, his Reverence General Polk, the Richmond poet has, we are glad to say, a far higher opinion. He says:—

"Let meaner talents from the Bible draw
Their faith, their morals these, and those their law:
His lively genius finds in deeds of war
A fame, a glory which no time can mar.
"How bright our warrior-Bishop's fame doth shine!
So great a soldier, so profound divine!
Who fires his soldiers' hearts with sacred texts,
Speaks peace on Sunday, and shoots Yankees next."

He seems to have some feeling against General Toombs, whose recent address to the people of Georgia, advising them to gather kindling-wood and make ready to burn down their towns, suits him no better than it did the Georgians. Of Toombs he writes:—

"Amphion's lyre, they say, could raise a town,
But this great liar's worse—he burns it down."

Yet it seems that he does not so much object to arson as to the spirit in which Toombs and Cobb urged that crime upon their fellow-citizens, for a little farther on (page 7) he bursts out in to ardent praises of Governors Brown and Pickens:—

"Hail, Brown and Pickens—thrice, thrice honored names,
Whose godlike bosoms burn with patriot flames;
To serve his country in her utmost need
Behold by this a burning town decreed;
While that devotes, with true chivalric zeal,
Another's cotton to the public weal."

And so on. He is evidently a strong partisan of Davis, and mourns that this great rebel has fallen upon days so degenerate, alluding, probably, to the incessant abuse lavished upon him by the Richmond *Enquirer*, Memphis *Appeal*, and other papers. He speaks of degenerate scribblers, and the good old times when few could read and fewer write, he adds:—

"Oh, had the gods but kindly willed it so,
That thou hadst lived two hundred years ago,
No foolish editors had libelled then—
No fearful rogues had spoiled thy greatest plan!"

But he banishes regret:—

"But hence, fond thought, nor be by passion hurried,
Hadst thou then lived, thou now wert dead and buried,
Not now would armies vast thy orders own,
Not now on shinplasters thy face be shown."

The allusion to "fearful rogues," above, we at first took to be intended for Floyd: but it must mean some one else,—perhaps Pillow or Letcher,—for at page 10 occurs a passage in which Floyd—in disgrace for his retreat in Western Virginia—appeals to Davis thus, and we trust not in vain:—

"You slight me Davis, and but little heed
What talents I have shown, what merits plead;
How in your time of need I muskets stole,
And with what genius played the traitor's *role*,
And thousand small arms plead my cause with you,
And prove me the worthiest of your patriot crew."

In Beauregard this writer has great confidence. He speaks of him several times, praising his genius as the foremost military engineer of the age. In fact, like most of the rebels, this gallant poet likes best the man who can put the most solid stone wall between him and the Union troops. At page 14 he personifies Beauregard as the great god of fortification, and speaks of him as rushing through the country to the defence of the people:—

"With gorges, scaffolds, breaches, ditches, mines,
With culverines, whole and demi, and gubines,
With trench, with counterscarp, with esplanade,
With curtain, moat, and rhombo and chamade,
With polygon, epaulment, hedge and bank,
With salient angle and with angle flank."

And so sn for half a dozen lines more. We can only say that if poor Beauregard really goes about with such an array of defences, he is worthy of all the reward he will get from the Southern Confederacy, and all the fame conferred upon him by the poet Boggs. But we must hint that the above lines were probably suggested to the poet by the famous couplet which was sent from the South after the capture of Fort Sumpter—

"With cannon, mortar and petard,
We send to you our Beauregard."

Here we reluctantly close our quotations from this Southern Iliad, venturing only one more short extract, in which the good Boggs not only adorns a tale, but points a moral:—

"Ah, think what danger on debauch attends!
Let Letcher drunk preach temp'rance to his friends,
See how he stumbled to the Speaker's chair,
His reason drowned in whiskey cocktails rare;
Till, 'saying to speak, he fell upon the floor,
And crawled 'mid jeers, out of the chamber door."

SPIRIT OF THE BORDER STATES.—Gen. Bidwell served on the Committee on Credentials, and learned the spirit of the Border States.—He says:

While serving on the committee I had occasion to learn the sentiments and feeling of the people of the Border States. On the subject of slavery they are more radical judging from the reprerentations of their delegates, than any people I ever saw.

Nothing short of immediate, unconditional emancipation would be listened to. I thought I never heard the rebels cursed before. No man who has not seen and suffered the terrible scenes enacted by the secessionists in the Border States, can have any conception of the intense feeling existing among the true loyal men of the State of Missouri and Kentucky—and the same might no doubt be said of all the Border States. Anything like conservatism would not answer their purpose. With them it must be no slavery, or all slavery—no middle ground will suit their present condition.

In reference to the contest in Missouri, there were two delegations—the Unconditional Union delegation, in favor of gradual emancipation, and the Radical Union delegation in favor of immediate emancipation. After hearing all the arguments, pro and con, the majority of the committee decided—and their report was adopted—to admit the radical delegation and thus immediate emancipation is to be the watchword in the coming election in Missouri.

MAID AND WIFE.—Marriage is to a woman at once the happiest and saddest event of her life; it is the promise of future bliss raised on the death of present enjoyment. She quits her home, her parents, her companions, her amusements—everything on which she has hitherto depended for comfort, for affection, for kindness and for pleasure. The parents by whose advice she has been guided, the sister to whom she has dared to impart every embryo thought and feeling, the brother who has played with her, by turns the counselor and the counseled, and the younger children to whom she had hitherto been the mother and playmate—all are to be forsaken at one fell stroke; every former tie is loosened, the spring of every action is changed, and she flies with joy in the untrodden path before her; buoyed up by the confidence of requited love, she bids a fond and grateful adieu to the life that is past, and turns with excited hopes and joyous anticipations to the happiness to come. Then woe to the man who can blight such fair hopes—who can treacherously lure such a heart from its peaceful enjoyments and watchful protection of home, who can, coward-like break the illusions which have won her, and destroy the confidence which love has inspired. Woe to him who has too early withdrawn the tender plant from the props and stays of moral discipline in which she has been nurtured, and yet makes no effort to supply their places, for on him is the responsibility of her errors—on him who first taught her, by his example, to grow careless of her duty, and then exposed her with a weakened spirit and unsatisfied heart, to the wild storms and the wily temptations of a sinful world.

A MIDNIGHT CRY.—The Boston *Traveler* gives an account of a remarkable religious meeting which was held in that city, after eleven o'clock on Wednesday night, at the Baptist Church, corner of Hanover and Bennett streets. It says: "About 125 of the abandoned women of North street and vicinity were present, invitations having been sent them previously by the two female ministers of the Quaker suasion, who are now in the city. Many of the women were bareheaded, coming in from neighboring dance and other houses. The Quaker ladies and their male brothers in the ministry, and, also Mr. Stowe, addressed the meeting, which lasted till nearly one o'clock. Many of the poor creatures who are so generally cut off from human sympathy, and particularly from that of their own sex, were in tears, and a number expressed a desire to go at once from the church to where they could lead a better life. These meetings are to be continued.

WHO was about the only person that liked to get "the sack" wherever he went? Sir John Falstaff.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE FAIR.

This Industrial and Art Exhibition was opened in San Francisco on Saturday last; the opening address was delivered in Platt's Hall the evening previous by the Hon. John Conness to a large assembly. The following particulars of the address and exhibition we gather from the San Francisco *Bulletin* of the 3rd instant:

"As Sir Robert Peel had expressed the opinion that England owed to her mechanical industry the power with which she had passed thro' the wars of half a century, emerging richer and greater with that aid, so the speaker attributed to the mechanical and agricultural resources of the people of the Union the wonderful ability that the United States has manifested to sustain a protracted war on the largest scale known to history, for the suppression of a rebellion which strikes at the dignity of labor, and would rob it of its reward. He dilated upon the inventive genius of our people, which has risen highest during the present war, at a crisis when the demand was highest, and which has made the Republic as formidable in military science as she is successful and fertile in the arts and appliances of peace. The Commissioner of Patents attests the remarkable fact that there has been increased activity in the invention of agricultural machinery, consequent upon the withdrawal of so much manual labor into the army. There were manufactured in the loyal States last year upwards of 40,000 harvesters alone. The Exhibition just opened in San Francisco, the speaker argued, is proof that California, despite her recent and sparse settlement, is not behind her loyal sisters in all that shows studied thought and skillful labor. Fifteen years ago the State was nearly in the idle, unreclaimed, and waste condition that it had been kept in for 200 years by the race from whom we had acquired it; yet to-day beheld it the seat of a proud civilization, and the site of a metropolis which boasts besides its opulent commerce, foundries, machine shops, woolen mills and other manufactures; while throughout the land are vineyards, orchards, grain fields and gardens whose products astonish the world. All these are the results of skilled and intelligent labor. The speaker descanted upon the material advantages enjoyed by our State, the fostering kindness of the Government, the proud prospects of the future. He expressed his conviction that it is to the interest of the State and its mining population to have our mining code confirmed by Congress, and a law passed providing for the sale of the mineral lands to the persons who, under our laws, have possession of them. This policy he considered necessary to give permanence to our mining communities and to stimulate and diversify industrial pursuits. He complimented the laboring masses of the nation for their intelligence and virtue, and as being its hope and savior; commented upon the necessity of education; observed that the general diffusion of knowledge has vastly enlarged man's capacity; took a sanguine view of the issue of the war we are now waging in behalf of intelligence, labor and freedom, and closed with an admonition that our children should be taught the dignity and true nobleness of labor, so that when we shall have passed away they will be the leaders in organizing the grand future of humanity.

At the conclusion of the address, Mr. Brittan, the President of the Mechanics' Institute, announced that the Fair would be opened to the public at 10 o'clock this morning, and the vast audience dispersed.

Although all the articles that have arrived for exhibition have not yet been opened, and some that are opened have not yet been placed, while others are yet to arrive, the exhibition is already a great success, and from the hour of opening the doors this morning a great many visitors strolled through the ample building which is now surrounded and filled with all the stir and bustle, the gay and moving scenes, and the various entertaining incidents which characterize our great fairs. The Pavilion itself is not the least noticeable feature of this Industrial Exhibition. It stands on Union Square, at the foot of Stockton street hill, whose height it nearly rivals, making an object that is visible for several miles outside of the city. It is undoubtedly the largest and handsomest edifice ever erected on this coast for a similar purpose. The general shape of the building may be described as cruciform. The front is Italian in character, 100 feet wide, with a square tower about 60 feet high at each angle, and an arcade in the centre, with three arched entrances. The total length of the main structure, from front to rear, is 375 feet. The entrance hall is about 100 feet long, and leads into a transept which is 220 feet long, while in the rear of that is another wing about 98 by 100 feet in size. Above the trensept rises an octagon shaped dome, which is 108 feet high, with a breadth of 100 feet at the base, which is said to be 2 feet wider than the dome of the Capitol at Washington. The hight of the dome from the beginning of the curve to the apex is 68 feet. This great dome was built on ribs, sheathed with redwood boards, and raised to its present place from about half its greatest elevation. It is surmounted by a skylight, which, with the windows in front, admit sufficient light by day; while at night the immense structure will be illuminated by about 1,200 gas jets, fed by 2½ miles of pipe. The numerous pipes and hydrants in and about the building, which are to be immediately supplied with abundance of hose, will afford protection against fire. An additional wing, about 50 feet square, is divided into two departments, one of which is to be occupied as a restaurant, while the other is fitted up as a ladies' dressing-room. The Pavillion, with this wing, covers about 60,000 feet of flooring. The frame is strongly built of pine timbers, while the covering of the sides and roofs is mainly of redwood. The height of the main walls is about 45 feet. At each side of the nave, or entrance hall, and just under the front edge of the dome, is erected a small gallery some 25 feet in hight, which is reached by an easy, spiral stairway, and commands a fine view of the whole interior. One of these galleries will be occupied by a band of music.—The architect of the entire structure was P. J. O'Connor, and its cost will probably reach $20,000.

WHY is anything not easily denominated like a chronometer? Because its a watch you may call it.

WHY are photographers like the men who go out with water-carts? Because the more *cartes* they have the more *dust* is laid down.

WHY must a regiment of soldiers be always objectionable in a town. Because it is part of their duty to defile.

WHAT is it that helps to make the pavement greasy on a wet day? Dripping rain.

DEMOCRATIC RESOLUTIONS.

The following are the resolutions adopted by the Democratic Convention at Chicago, Aug. 29th:

Resolved, That in the future as in the past, we will adhere with unwavering fidelity to the Union under the Constitution, as the only solid foundation of our strength, security, and happiness as a people, and as the frame-work of Government equally conducive to the welfare and prosperity of all the states, both Northern and Southern.

2. *Resolved*, That this Convention does explicitly declare, as the sense of the American people, that after four years of failure to restore the Union by the experiment of war, during which under the pretense of the military necessity of a war power, higher than the Constitution itself, that instrument has been disregarded in every part, and public liberty and private rights trodden down and the material prosperity of the country essentially impared. Justice, humanity and liberty and the public welfare demand that immediate efforts be made for cessation of hostilities with a view of an ultimate Convention of the states, or other peaceable means to end it, that at the earliest practicable moment peace may be restored on the basis of the Federal Union of the States.

3. *Resolved*, That the direct interference of the militaay authority of the United States in the recent elections held in Kentucky, Maryland Missouri and Delaware, was a shameful violation of the Constitution, and a repetition of such acts in the approaching election will be held to be revolutionary and resisted with all the means and power under our control.

4. *Resolved*, That the aim and object of the Democratic party is to preserve the Federal Union, and the rights of the states unimpaired, and they hereby declare that they consider the Administration's usurpation of extraordinary and dangerous powers, not granted by the Constitution; the subversion of the civil by the military laws in the states not in insurrection; the arbitrary military arrest, imprisonment, trial and sentence of American citizens in states where civil law exists in full force; the suppression of freedom of speech and of press; the denial of the right of asylum; the open and avowed disregard of state rights; the employment of unusual test oaths, and interference with, and denial of the right of, the people to bear arms, as calculated to prevent the restoration of the Union and the perpetuation of government deriving its just powers from the consent of the governed.

5. *Resolved*, That the shameful disregard of the Administration to its duty in respect to our fellow-citizens, who now and long have been prisoners of war, and in a suffering condition, deserves the severest reprobation, on the score alike of public and common humanity.

6. *Resolved*, That the sympathy of the Democratic Party is heartily and earnestly extended to the soldiers of our army, who are now and have been in the field, under the flag of their country, and in the event of attaining power, they will receive all the care, and protection, and regard that, as brave soldiers of the Republic they have so nobly earned.

THE SIGNS OF THE TIMES.—While news from the seat of war up to date is not exactly of such a nature as will satisfy the thoughtless and unreflecting, the tenor of it is, nevertheless, all that could be expected by those who are well informed in the premises, and who do not allow their zeal to run away with their discretion.—Unfortunately, we have a considerable number of the latter class of persons interspersed among the loyal classes of the North, and as they, like all non-combatants and women, are apt to be blatant and loud in proportion to their insufficiency, they make themselves heard in a manner that one would hardly think the paucity of their numbers would justify, and sometimes succeed in producing the erroneous impression that they furnish an index to the feelings and views of the entire country, than which no error can be more gross, and no impression more pregnant with untruth.

The rebel armies are in full flight down the valley of the Shenandoah, and whether they manage to escape with their plunder (which seems unlikely) or not—the certainty is that the valley will never more be allowed to be polluted by the presence of rebels in arms, and this their great source for supplies of cereals being cut off, and Richmond beleaguered, as it will soon be, the ultimate result will be the same as the fate of Vicksburg. Sooner or later this will be the case. We should like to hear of the speedy downfall of the rebel Capital, but we are too well aware of the multiform phases assumed by events between two large armies under wary leaders—and too well satisfied with the military skill and remarkable prudence of the Lieut.-General of the Armies of the United States, to indulge in gloomy forebodings, merely because our views in regard to the movements of the Army of the Potomac do not seem to be verified by the immediate results.

In our financial relations, the apprehensions indulged in by many on account of the resignation of Secretary Chase, do not certainly seem to be verified by the present condition of the money market, which quotes gold at a lower price than has ruled for some time past. The present Secretary is, at all events, fully equal to the emergencies of his position, and will manage the financial affairs of the Nation, prudently, maintaining a consistently economic policy from first to last. The trash sometimes talked here to the effect that the decline in gold in this city is but local and temporarily caused by the Indian troubles eastward, is too silly to need an answer, and can impose on nobody but those so much habituated to being imposed upon that they have forgotten how to use their own judgment, and we are sorry to state that this community numbers its full share of such.

In fine we think, that in view of the magnitude of the war for freedom in which we are now engaged, we have great reason to be thankful that our prospect of final success is so certain, and that this war has hitherto been conducted so as to be productive to our own citizens of as little hardship and discomfort as ever yet fell to the lot of a people engaging a civil war of such colossal proportions.—*Union Vedette.*

Three soldiers, with ball and chain attached were taken from Sacramento to San Francisco, en route for Fort Alcatraz.

A YOUNG man who has recently taken a wife, says he did not find it half as hard to get married as he did to get furniture.

WHEN is a school-boy like a [illegible] ant in July? When he is making A.

DUTCH FLAT ENQUIRER.

SATURDAY MORNING, SEPT. 10, 1864.

DUTCH FLAT, Sept. 7, 1864.

DEAR ENQUIRER:—You remember a certain gentleman at a certain Church meeting wanted the Stars and Stripes "to float over the New Church until it floated over every State in the Union?" You also remember said hombre affirmed that "any man that said he was not a *good Union* man was a liar." Your correspondent would like to know if good Union men stop good Union papers because said papers come out for the Administration? Or is said hombre only a wolf in sheep's clothing? Also, can a man oppose *both the Administration and the war* and be a "good Union man?" Why will people place the *religious* instruction of their children in the hands of such an hombre?

Very inquisitively yours, GYREEL.

In answer to our correspondent's first interrogatory, we will be compelled to be in a measure, personal, as he has neglected to mention the name of the individual alluded to, although from report his name is pretty freely spoken on the streets. On the day of our last issue it was currently reported, and several times mentioned to us that Mr. H. Davis, the Superintendent of the Union Sunday School had expressed his determination to discontinue the ENQUIRER on account of the course taken by the paper. On Thursday, however, M. D. came to our office and assured us that he had said nothing about discontinuing the paper, nor did he design doing so; that had he supposed it was a disunion paper he should have done so long ago. It is due to him to mention that he had other business with us than this that caused his visit, and mentioned this matter incidentally. So much for Mr. Davis.

The second question: "Can a man oppose both the Administration and the war and be a good Union man?" We answer decidedly, No, and shall endeavor to give a few reasons in justification of our decision: Under existing circumstances, the Government is placed in a position whereby it is compelled to exert every nerve and measure known to the law of self-preservation in order to sustain itself, for, as the principle of law and order is the groundwork of happiness to the people, so, in a like degree is the rule of disorder and anarchy the forerunner of misery, degredation, vice and unhappiness. For the support and maintenance of the former good men have combined from the beginning of time; as order is said to be a law emanating from heaven, so disorder is a sprig from Hades, transplanted by the designing and vicious for the purpose of elevating themselves by enslaving their fellow-men. Our Government is now engaged in the laudable enterprise of reestablishing order and punishing crime; by the accomplishment of which the government as left by our fathers will again assume the proud position before the world it occupied before the commencement of the war. In doing this, it is obligatory on every man who desires to retain the prerogative of an *American citizen* to aid by every word and deed the executors of the laws in the consummation of this great work; and unless those who have been placed at the head of the nation receive that cordial and earnest support necessary to the plans and measures adopted by the government the exertions put forward will, in a great degree prove futile, and enable a lengthened resistance on the part of those engaged in the attempt to break up the fair fabric that once challenged the admiration of all nations. Therefore, those who oppose the Administration are in direct opposition to the measures adopted to sustain the honor of the government, for, as the Chief Magistrate—under the Constitution, he being the commander of all the forces, and clothed with extraordinary powers in times of rebellion—adopts plans for the suppression of violent and unlawful outbreaks, place themselves in direct antagonism to the government, and the laws, and must, of course be anything but "good Union men," as the entire matter in controversy is the *Union* of the States on the part Government, and the *separation* of the same on the part of the disorganizers, the one must be Union and the other *disunion*; and those who oppose the former MUST be classed with the latter. In regard to the prosecution of the war for the purpose af bringing those back who are in rebellion, the opposers of the government themselves affect a lukewarm support, but while doing so, endeavor to clog the operations of those favoring this measure by ill-timed interruptions, and untenable positions. The two premises taken by the Union party—the Administration and the war—are so closely connected and intricately interwoven that it is impossible to separate the one from the other without destroying both. If you favor the one you must adhere to the other, for each is dependent upon the other. The Administration has inaugurated certain measures for the suppression of the rebellion, one of which is a vigorous prosecution of the war; and in view of the crisis now upon the country, the only *practicable* way by which the honor of the country can be sustained. The rebels refused, and persist in their refusal to come to any terms save by a direct and unequivocal acknowledgement by the Government of the United States of the independence of the Confederate States. How any man with a knowledge of the glorious history of the American Government before him can entertain a quiet separation of the States is an enigma that we have not been able to solve. Viewing the matter then, from our present stand-point, we cannot conceive how one can be a "*good* Union man" and not endorse both the Administration and the war; one may doctor up for himself a Union under certain contingencies, but such a compact is not desirable, for the same dissatisfaction may again arise, and then all the blood and treasure which has flowed and been sacrified will count as nothing. No! let us prove ourselves true sons of patriot sires and carry out the meaning and intent of the articles entered into by them, such as have been endorsed by the patriots and statesmen from the days of Washington to the present time.—Let us persevere in the work commenced, and let our battle-cry be, in war as well as peace, in the hustings and on the battle-field: "The Union of the States, one and inseparable, NOW and FOREVER!" And appealing to God for the Justice of our cause; to the welfare of the human family; the preservation of Liberty to a great and noble people, and nerved by such ennobling thoughts as these, victory will not fail to perch herself upon the banners of the party enlisted in the cause of Right, Humanity and Justice!

No, sir: a man, in our opinion, can not be a good Union man "who opposes both the Administration and the war."

[COMMUNICATED.

MONSIEUR L'EDITEUR:—I 'ave behold zat one Monsieur Olendorff, 'ave pay ze Messieurs McDonald one bill for ze medicine in ze dam greenbacks 'vich 'ave put ze Messieurs McDonalds in one grande furie.

S'i'l vous plait, Monsieur l'Editeur, I 'ave ze one leetle question of you to ask; ze Monsieur Olendorff, zat 'ame pay ze Messieurs McDonald in zé dam greenbacks, is he ze Monsieur Olendorff of ze mezzod of French to learn to read and write and speak ze English, I 'ave his mezzod stuty and 'ave mooch of benefit. Je suis very mooch boulvorse—vat you call it, oui, disgust zat mon bon ami should pay ze Messieurs McDonald for ze good medicine in ze dam greenbacks. I cannot of it comprendre! I 'ave not hear zat mon bon ami 'ave been sick to swallow all ze medicine! I had of hope zat he carried himself en bonne health—je n'l'entendre pas du tout! Cest un mystaire! Mon Dieu! jetouffe!

Ah, Monsieur l'Editeur, je fini: S'i'l vous plait, convey to ze Messieurs McDonald mon assuranee zat I 'ave of hope zat it is not mon bon ami zat 'ave pay for ze good medicine in ze dam greenbacks, mais quelque autre zelerat—vat you call him in English?—oui, some ozzare dam rascal; zat I 'ave taken up one subscription among mes chers comrades, in ze good gold coin, and zat if it shall prouve mon cher ami zat 'ave pay for ze good medicine in ze dam greenbacks, I shall avec grande plaisir pay ze bill in ze good gold pieces—mais pas before je receive ze bon proof. I have l'honneur de vous saluer.

ROBERT MACAIRE.

[COMMUNICATED.

DUTCH FLAT, September 8th, 1864.

EDITOR ENQUIRER:—The candidates for Collector are Miller and Kopp. Taking the passage of Scripture into consideration—and the way that their names are placed; that the "first shall be last, and the last first," we must have it that Maj. Kopp is in the end to come out ahead, there are, however, other circumstances upon which to predicate this belief. The Major has been tried and found the best Collector that has served the people, has come as near discharging the duties of his office as honorably as any man that has served the county in a public capacity, and to the entire satisfaction of all well-wishers of our county, in his energetic and attentive disposition as one helping to get us through these peculiar times that are upon us.

The people cannot help seeing this, and we are sure will support him in making the "first last and the last first." A. E. R.

TERRIBLE EXPLOSION AND LOSS OF LIFE.—The opposition steamer Washoe, Capt. Kidd, on her trip from San Francisco to Sacramento on Monday night last was the scene of a terrible and heart-rending calamity. When near Steamboat Slough on the Sacramento river, one of her boilers burst, killing some twenty-six persons, mostly women, and injuring some sixty others. Most of those injured were carried to Sacramento and received every care possible from the most eminent physicians, notwithstanding which many died from their injuries. The cause of the explosion is wrapt in mystery.

NOT SURPRISED.—We are not at all surprised at receiving spiteful, ungentlemanly letters from a few *Constitutional* Democrats ordering their papers to be stopped. We desire to say one thing to these men: we will stop your papers with great pleasure when you *pay us what you owe us.* It is not to be supposed that you would support a Union paper or anything else which smacks of honesty. Put this in your pipe.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.—On Monday evening last Mr. Thomas Jones procured a pistol for the purpose of shooting a grimalkin who had made himself particularly annoying in the neighborhood, and had the weapon cocked in his hand, when it was accidentally discharged, shooting himself through the foot, causing a painful though not dangerous wound. Can't be too particular with fire-arms, pistols sometimes "go off" without being loaded.

THE scholars of the Union Sunday school will celebrate the seventh anniversary of the school in this place on Saturday next, 19th instant, by having a picnic in the grove. All the children in Dutch Flat and vicinity, together with their friends are cordially invited to participate, without regard to party or creed.

NEW DITCH.—It is currently reported that the projectors of the new ditch have commenced operations on their work. They intend, we hear, making the ditch on the lower survey.

DIVINE SERVICE.—Rev. H. H. Dobbins will preach at the school house Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, A. M., and at Gold Run at 3, P. M.

Rev. J. H. Warren will preach at the school house to-morrow evening at 7½ o'clock.

[Written for the Enquirer.]

DUTCH FLAT, September 8th, 1864.

"Gather up the fragments, that nothing be lost."

How applicable to life and all its opportunities and experience. In a certain sense, nothing in the universe of God is ever lost, or can be. The form is changed, but the substance is not annihilated. The elements survive, to enter into new combinations, or assume new shapes of beauty and life. The flower withers and falls, but the principle of beauty still abides, and the same particles and agents which called out the colors of the violet or rose of last summer, or of the last century, remain to dress in living and mysterious hues the petals of a new flower, to be the delight of other eyes. The principles and elements of all fragrance, all beauty and perfection were from the beginning, when the stars first shone forth from elder night; time only varies, resolves and reunites them. If we take the world's history, nothing, no fragment of human experience, is ever lost. Our present civilization, comforts, arts, science, literature, are the sum of the contributions of all bygone ages. Time has been silently gathering up the minute fragments of man's experience, and lays them all as offerings at the feet of the present generation. An experiment is made, and whether successful or unsuccessful, the world is a gainer. Man's works survive when the performers are forgotten. We are "heirs of the past," and our heritage comes of the fragments which human experience has gleaned and heaped together from century to century. The past is with us still.

So it is with the acts of individuals. They are what the past has made them. Past impressions, emotions and acts, of these something remain, a subtile invisible essence, and which is still with and in us, a part of ourselves. In this sense again nothing is ever lost, or drops out of being and leaves no trace behind,—no sigh, prayer, or effort—no struggle for light—no stooping to temptation—no yielding to human infirmity—no surrender to sinful passions and appetites. The present state of the soul is but the aggregate of the contributions of all former emotions, aims and conflicts.

"Gather up the fragments, that nothing be lost."

Firs of time. We talk of the work of time, but how few of us give evidence that we understand the full import of the words! What I would say is that the fragments of time, the little portions that remain after the necessary deductions for sleep, or the ordinary business of the day, are not used to the best purpose. By many they are neglected. They are as it were dropped out of life, and their place remains a blank, because no plan of life is formed which includes them. We provide for days and weeks, but not for hours and half hours, and yet it is often the waste or use of these hours and half hours that makes the diffemce between an intelligent and well cultivated mind and the reverse.

It is with knowledge as with time. We must gather up the fragments, if we would ever become rich in it. The mind is the architect, which out of separate stones constructs a beautiful edifice. A single idea is the parent of many others, and a thought is the gem of a multitude of thoughts, and a place will be found for all. As it is with fragments and little portions of time and knowledge, so it is with the enjoyments of mortal life. Happiness exists in fragments, as it were, in little shining particles we pick up along the way, which we must not reject as too worthless for the gathering, but must collect as precious sands, as we travel on. There are often gleams of sunshine amid the clouds, and green spots in the desert, and amid hourly cares and toils comforts are interspersed, the least of which is worth the gathering. We must not overlook the modest flower, because it is modest and humble, for it is the gift of God, and in it he meant that we should see his goodness and recognize his smile. How much happiness is there in life for the contented mind that is willing to be pleased, that the sullen spirit passes by. There are fragments of kindness—the love of hearts—the affections and good will of our fellow-beings towards us, which we must gather up too. We cannot spare any little tokens of them which are cast up as pebbles, or sands, on the shores of time, yet how much depends on the habit of giving attention to these, and diligence in collecting and treasuring them up.

How many acts of kindness, clear, pleasant tones, and cheerful looks, do we all receive, and none of these are to be contemptuously thrown away, but every memory of affectionate hearts is to be gathered up, and God is to be thanked for it. No atom of it is to be allowed to drop out of the account; no fragment of kindness should be lost by neglect or forgetfulness.—Indeed the goodness of God ever comes to us in fragments, in little hourly gifts and arguments to contentments, in small and hidden rills, through which joys flow in upon us from the senses, the intellect or the affections. In the courage which is supplied us in the hour of trial—we cannot tell how—in the peace of believing hearts, and the alleviations which time brings in our sharpest sorrows. It is thus that the tokens of God's love comes to us, and we should carefully note them, that the smallest of them may not perish. M. E. B.

JOHN MORGAN, of rebel notoriety and Ohio State prison fame, was killed at Grenville on the 4th instant.

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se10-td E. H. MILLER, JR., Sec'y.

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Dutch Flat, May 21, 1862.-3m

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UNION GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMpany, Excelsior District, Nevada county, Cal. Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Trustees of said company held on the 9th day of Sept., 1864, an assessment of seventy-five cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable immediately to the Secretary, in U. S. gold or silver coin, at his office in Dutch Flat, Placer Co. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 10th day of Sept., 1864, will be advertised on that day as delinquent, and unless payment shall be made before will be sold on the 25th day of Oct., 1864 to pay the delinquent assessment together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Trustees.

E. B. BOUST, Sec'y.

Dutch Flat, Sept. 9, 1864.

MINING NOTICES.

MILTON GOLD and SILVER MINING COMpany, Summit District, (Squaw Valley) Placer county, California.—Notice.—There is delinquent upon the following described stock of the above named company on account of assessments, levied on the 23d of June, 1864, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Names.	*Ass't.*	*Certs.*	*Shrs*	*Amt.*
Bentley, Sam	4	191	25	$2 50
same	4	193	12½	1 25
Cannon, F E	4	19	40	4 ...
same	4	79	80	8 ...
Connar, Thos	4	169	10	1 ...
Currier, J B	4	211	25	2 50
Francis, Geo	4	195	18	1 80
Garity, Gwen	4	2	25	2 50
same	4	3	25	2 50
same	4	4	25	2 50
same	4	5	25	2 50
same	4	6	25	2 50
same	4	8	25	2 50
Garity, Thomas	4	84	25	2 50
same	4	85	25	2 50
same	4	86	25	2 50
same	4	87	25	2 50
same	4	90	25	2 50
same	4	91	25	2 50
Hart, James	4	159	10	1 ...
Johnson, W O	4	206	10	1 ...
Liddell, Wm	4	72	20	2 ...
May, J S	4	25	50	5 ...
same	4	27	20	2 ...
Mathews, J B	4	133	25	2 50
McClellan, Mrs. S	4	207	12½	1 25
Queen, C	4	11	25	2 50
same	4	196	24	2 40
same	4	197	48	4 80
Richardson, E H	4	31	30	3 ...
same	4	33	20	2 ...
Smith, Wm	4	49	25	2 50
same	4	50	25	2 50
same	4	176	20	2 ...
Smith, Stansb'g	4	71	25	2 50
Stratton, C	4	188	25	2 50
same	4	189	25	2 50
Swan, Chas J	4	202	20	2 ...
same	4	203	20	2 ...
same	4	204	20	2 ...
same	4	205	27½	2 75
Smith, A B	4	208	20	2 ...
same	4	210	25	2 50
Ten Eyck, Geo	4	139	25	2 50
Thompson, Jac	4	187	25	2 50
Warren, Benj	4	192	12½	1 25
Willey, Walter	4	200	25	2 50
Andrews, Noah		93	25	1 ... 10
Less heretofore sold for assessments..24				
Arnold, M		not issued	2	... 20
Bentley, T B		70	25	1 ... 10
Less heretofore sold for assessments..24				
Hanford, J		not issued	1	... 10
Hubbell, Isaac		108	50	6 ... 60
Less heretofore sold for assessments..44				
Plummer, J H		41	40	7 ... 70
Less heretofore sold for assessments..33				

And in accordance with the laws of the State of California and an order of the Board of Trustees made on the 2d day of Aug., 1864, so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessay will be sold on Monday, September 19th, 1864, at one o'clock, P. M., at the door of the Secretary's office, to pay said delinquent assessments thereon, together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

WM. A. HOUSEL, Secretary,

Sept. 5, 1864. 2w Wisconsin Hill, Cal.

EXCELSIOR CONSOLIDATED GOLD and SILver Mining Company, Excelsior District, Nevada county, Cal.—Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Trustees of the said company, held on the 22d day of Aug., 1864, an assessment of six (6) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable in United States coin, to the Secretary at the office of the company in Dutch Flat, Placer county. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 22nd day of Sept., 1864 will be advertised on that day as delinquent, and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on Monday the 9th day of October, 1864, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

E. B. BOUST, Secretary.

Aug. 22, 1864 Office, Dutch Flat, Cal.

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District Court Summons.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, County of Placer.—District Court of the 14th Judicial District of said State. The People of the State of California, to A. V. Clark, James Armstrong, and D. Nimes, greeting: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint of L. Arnstein in said Court, filed against you, within ten days from the service of this writ, exclusive of the day of service, if served on you without said county, and within said District, twenty days; and if served on you without said county and district, then in forty days from such service, exclusive of the day of service, in an action commenced on the 29th day of August, 1864, in said Court, to obtain a judgment against you the defeddant, A. V. Clark, for the sum of $580 00 and interest thereon at 2 per cent. per month from Sept. 5th, 1863, alledged to be due on your certain promissory note of that date and tenor, to Plaintiff. And also for the further sum of $188 48 claimed to be due plaintiff at your request between the 6th of September 1863, and the 30th of November 1863. Plaintiff also asks for a decree of foreclosure against certain property mortgaged by you to secure the payment of said sums of money. No personal judgment is asked against defendants Armstrong and Nimes but that their interest or claim in and to said mortgaged property—as well as the interest of defendant Clark therein—be decreed to be subject to the lein of plaintiff's said mortgage. Plaintiff asks for $100 00 attorneys fees, and for his costs of suit, and that all of said sums be paid in gold or silver coin of the United States, all of which you will find more fully set out in complaint on file a certified copy of which is herewith served, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to answer the complaint as directed, Plaintiff will take judgment against you by default, and apply to the court for the relief prayed for—and for such further relief as may be equitable and just.

In witness whereof, I, D. W. Spear Clerk of the Fourteenth Judicial District Court aforesaid, do hereunto set my hand and impress the Seal of said Court, at office in Auburn, this 29th day of August 1864.

(L. S.) (L. R. S. 10 cents.)

D. W. SPEAR, Clerk.

L. B. ARNOLD, Att'y for Plaintiff. Sep. 3,-3m.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.—The following named gentlemen were nominated at the recent Union State Convention held at Sacramento: J. G. McCullum, of El Dorado; S. Brannan, of San Francisco; C. McClay, of Santa Clara; W. W. Crane, of Alameda; W. Oliver, of Siskiyou.

WE have received the most *satisfactory* and *encouraging* assurances from different portions of the county in regard to our course on political matters, during the past week, and our friends shall have no cause to fear but the opposers of good order will catch—fits from this out. No *compromise* now.

THE Democratic State Convention met at San Francisco, in Turn-Verin Hall, and was called to order by Chas C. Weller. Beriah Brown was chosen temporary chairman, James W. Mandeville was chosen permanent president, with twelve vice presidents, and six secretaries. The following gentlemen were nominated as presidential electors: H. P. Barber, John T. Doyle, for the State at large, and Judge White, of Santa Cruz, for the first district, and Jo. Hamilton of Placer, for the second district. For Congress, J. G. Downey, of Los Angelos, for first district, and James W. Coffroth, of Sacramento, for second. We have no further news from the Bay.

NOTICE the advertisement of Mr. Burckhalter, who continues to keep everything needed by families, hotels and miners, which can be obtained cheap for cash.

Mr. Hoffman is also out in a card telling the people where they can obtain pure liquors, and good tables whereon they may improve their knowledge in angles.

Is it true that the Democratic candidates of Storey county, Nevada Territory, are elected? We hardly think the report true, yet *if* it is so, the cause is to be attributed to the fact that the Union party and the People's party ran two tickets, and then Quantrell's guerrilla band is over there. The report, if true, should prove a warning to the people of our own State.

FULL.—The California Stage Co.'s coaches are running full to this place now. It seldom comes in with less than fifteen or twenty passengers. The Dutch Flat and Donner Lake road is becoming extremely popular with the traveling public. It is the best road in the State.

CONSISTENT.—The Chicago Convention passed resolutions condemning the war policy of the Administration, and then turns round and pats the soldiers on the back for being in the army and sustaining the very policy the convention repudiates.

THE Nevada *Gazette* says the Chicago Platform let us out of the Democratic party.—That's so. The man that can swallow the vile stench hatched by that Convention must have a stronger olfactory nerve than we possess.

WITHDRAWN.—We learn from the Nevada *Gazette* that the stock of the Pacific stage line has been withdrawn from the route between Nevada and Virginia city.

Platform of the Union Party of California.

The following is the Platform adopted by the Union Party of California, in State Convention, August 31, 1864:

Resolved, That this Convention, representing the opinions and wishes of the Union party of California, is fully conscious of the immensity of the struggle, and of its consequences, in which this nation and the Government representing it are now engaged. We accept the contest, with its crosses and its triumphs, as the condition upon which treason has made our National existence to depend. This contest, by action now deemed humiliating, we have long avoided; but when, at last, left no choice—attacked—peace and civilization, nation and home at once assailed—we have turned upon our enemies, resolved that this land shall hereafter be true to its professions of attachment to law, to justice and freedom.

Resolved, That we firmly adhere to the platform and declarations of the National Union Convention recently held in Baltimore.

Resolved, That we heartily and unreservedly approve the nominations of Abraham Lincoln and Andrew Johnson for President and Vice President of the United States, and we pledge to them that support which we tendered to them at our last Union State Convention.

Resolved, That in nominations of candidates for Presidential Electors, it is upon the express condition that the votes of said Electors be cast for the above named nominees of the National Convention.

Resolved, That John Conness, in the support which he has given to the present Administration as Senator from California, is heartily indorsed and approved, and the loyal people of this State will hail with lively satisfaction his further co-operation with the Administration in its efforts to restore peace to the country by the destruction of the armed power of the States now in revolt against the Government.

ARE THEY GUERRILLAS?—The Stockton *Independent* of August 7th says:

"A band of between fifty and sixty men are encamped near the lower ferry on the San Joaquin river. They claim to be residents of the Santa Clara Valley, are engaged in hunting deer and antelope for the San Francisco market, and expect an addition of some forty more men to their ranks. They are well mounted, well armed and well dressed, and are not at all communicative. Our impression is that they are either a guerrilla party or the nucleus of one, organized to resist a Federal draft in this State, should one be ordered. They will bear watching, at all events. A gentleman named Reynolds, residing about three miles west of French Camp, informs us that they have been in the neighborhood of their present haunt for the last week, and that his nephew asked them what their business was. They answered that they were about organizing a hunting party to explore and hunt all through the mountains till they reached Visalia; and that they killed all the deer and antelope they wanted for their own actual consumption. Now there never was a bigger lie told since the birthday of Satan; for there have been no deer or antelope on the plains within twenty mile of French Camp since the flood of 1861-2. Moreover, who ever heard of as large a party as sixty men, with the promise of forty more, going out to hunt elk or antelope? And it may not be out of place to remark that the rumor of the notorious Quantrell being in California has some foundation. Nothing has been heard of this northern-born secessionist since last April, when he was reported killed, but the report never was confirmed, and it is quite possible that he may have stolen across the plains to find a new field for crime."

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining unreclaimed in the Postoffice at Dutch Flat, California, Sept. 1, 1864.

Bowyer, W 2	Gansner, Benj
Brown, W	Heath, Mrs Victoria 2
Boyd, C	Jones, H M
Coleman, John 2	Kiwai, John
Carr, J C	Krammer, Peter
Clark, J C	Niles, M P
Coates, H C	Reeves, Charles 5
Currie, Augus	Sullivan, Michael 2
Devining, Wm	Sloan, Miss Annie
Fordyce, Jerome	Thompson, F W
Rialer, Celum	Tate, William
Ford, J Otto	Thorne, Thomas
Gray, Joseph	

To obtain any of the letters, persons enquiring will please say "advertised," give the date of the list and one cent for advertising.

J. H. BOKE, Ass't P. M.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

OLIVE LODGE, No. 81, I. O. O. F. hold their regular meetings on Wednesday evening of each week.

Brothers in good standing are cordially invited.

JOSEPH S. BLOOM, N. G.

E. M. THOMAS, Rec. Secretary. ja-1

"A Slight Cold," Coughs.

Few are aware of the importance of checking a Cough or "SLIGHT COLD," in its first stage: that which in the beginning would yield to a mild remedy, if neglected, soon attacks the lungs. "*Brown's Bronchial Troches*" give sure and almost immediate relief. Military Officers and soldiers should have them, as they can be carried in the pocket and taken as occasion requires. Agents for California,

REDINGTON & CO.,
se3-1m San Francisco.

We feel it to be no impropriety in recommending a trial of that new medicine, Le Doyen's Lithontryptic and Alterative. It is claimed to be the most costly in its care and preparation of any Sarsaparilla in use; and so great has been the sale of it below, that the agent has induced the proprietor to advertise largely thro' the Coast States and Territories. As a blood and constitution alterative, it has Iodine and Iron so chemically combined that it carries with the blood the essential principle of life. Try it, young and old.

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MRS. S. A. ALLEN,

A LADY OF WORLD-WIDE REPUTATION.

Mrs. S. A. Allen's World's Hair Restorer and Zylobalsamum or World's Hair Dressing are unequalled, and so acknowledged by all who use them for restoring, invigorating, beautifying and dressing the Hair, rendering it soft, silky and glossy, and disposing it to remain in any desired position; quickly cleansing the scalp, arresting the fall and imparting a healthy and natural color to the Hair. They never fail to restore grey Hair to its original youthful color. They act directly upon the roots of the Hair, giving them the natural nourishment required. No lady's toilet is complete without the Zylobalsamum or Hair Dressing. It cleanses hair and imparts to it a most delightful fragrance, and is suited to both young and old.

The Restorer Reproduces.
The Hair Dressing Cultivates and Beautifies.

If your hair is thin, try it; if scurfy, try it; if harsh, try it; if lifeless, try it; if none of these, try it, for all who use it will preserve their hair thro' life. For sale by all Druggists. Agents for California, Hostetter, Dean & Smith, San Francisco.

[may20-6m]

CONSTABLE'S SALE.—By virtue of an Execution to me delivered and directed on the 19th day of August, 1864, issued out of the Court of W. G. Brown, a Justice of the Peace in and for Township No. 4, county of Placer, state of California, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 16th day of August A. D. 1864, in favor of B. H. Bartlett and J. S. Thomas, and against A. C. Fowler, B. Fitchpatrick, and P. Bannon, for the sum of Two Hundred and Ninety-nine and Fifty one-hundredth dollars, and costs of suit taxed at Thirty-one and twenty three one-hundredths dollars, I have this day levied upon and will expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Justice's office, in Dutch Flat,

On Monday the 12th day of Sept., 1864,

at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M., all the right, title, interest and claim which the said A. C. Fowler, B. Fichpatrick, and P. Bannon had on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1864, in and to the following described property, to wit: All those certain Mining Claims situate, lying and being on Dubuque Hill, in the Mountain Spring Mining District, near Gold Run, in Township No. 4, County of Placer, and State of California, and known as the Golden Gate Mining Company's Claims and bounded as follows to wit: Fronting on Canon Creek 400 feet, and extending back into the hill 1,500 feet and continues the same West as the front, angling between the Mining Claims of Church & Co's and Prindle & Co's, together with all Fixtures, Right of way, Tunnels, Cuts, Flumes, Sluice Boxes, Iron Pipe, with appertenances otherwise appertaining or belonging to said Claims.

All of which named and described property I shall sell as aforesaid, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy the above judgment together with the costs due and to become due thereon.

J. F. GREELEY, Constable,
August 20th, 1864. tds Township No. 4.

CONSTABLE'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution to me delivered and directed on the 24th day of August A. D. 1864, issued out of the court of W. G. Brown a Justice of the Peace in and for Township No. 4, County of Placer and State of California, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 24th day of August A. D. 1864, in favor of S. Y. Haisey and against the Waukegan mining company consisting of S. C. Clark, Edmund Austin, M. B. Tainter and Jas. Staples for the sum or Ninety-eight 27-100 dollars, with interest upon the sum of Ninety-eight 27-100 dollars, from the 28th day of August A. D. 1862, at the rate of 2 per cent. per month, and for costs of suit taxed at Twenty-four 32-100 dollars, I have this day levied upon and will expose to public sale, to the highest bidder for cash, infront of the Justice's office in Dutch Flat,

On Saturday, September 17th, A. D. 1864,

at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M., all the right, title, interest and claim which the said C. S. Clark, E. Austin, M. B. Tainter and J. Staples had on the 24th day of August A. D. 1864, in and to the following described property, to-wit: All those certain mining claims situate, lying and being in the Dutch Flat mining district, Township No. 4, Placer county, State of California, and known as the Waukegan Co.'s mining claims, and bounded as follows, to-wit: On the North by the Dutch Flat Ravine; on the East by Pete Scheler's claims; on the West by the Washington and Summerset companies' claim; on the South by the Jehosephat company's claim; together with all tunnels, cuts, flumes, sluice-boxes, iron pipe, with all appurtenances otherwise appertaining or belonging to said claim. Also, one cabin situated and being in the south-east corner of Booth's lot, now occupied by the Staple boys. Also, all the right, title and interest which the said James Staples has in the Summerset Co.'s mining claims, the same situate, lying and being in the Dutch Flat mining district, in Township No. 4, Placer county State of California, and bounded as follows, on the North by the Dutch Flat ravine; on the East by the Washington and Summerset Co.'s claims; on the West by ——; on the South by ——.

All of which named and described property I shall sell as aforesaid, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy the above judgment together with the costs due and to become due thereon.

J. F. GREELEY,
td Constable of Township No. 4.

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SACRMENTO,
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Corner of Sansome and Pine Streets,
SAN FRANCISCO,
DRUGGISTS.

We respectfully beg leave to inform our customers and the public generally that we have opened a House in the city of San Francisco, where we will be pleased to see as many of our old friends and customers as can make it convenient to call upon us. We shall keep at both places a large and well selected stock of

Drugs and Medicines,	Retorts and Crucibles,
Chemicals of all kinds,	Druggists Glassware,
Solid and Fluid Extracts,	Brewers' Stock,
Shakers' Herbs,	Soda Water Material,
Eclectic Preparations,	Paints and Oils,
Patent Medicines,	Kerosene and Coal Oils,
Fancy Goods,	Lard and Sperm Oils,
Trusses & Shoulder Br's,	Camphene & burning fluid
Abdominal Supporters,	Alcohol in Tin,
Assayers' Materials,	

Together with a complete assortment of all articles in the Drug line. We do not intend to be under sold by any house in California. Orders respectfully solicited and goods forwarded to all parts of the Pacific coast and country.

R. H. McDONALD & CO.,
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R. H. McDONALD & CO., San Francisco.

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Gum Stockings, Abdominal Supporters, Shoulder Braces, Suspensary Bandages, Silk Elastic Bandages for Ladies. A very large assortment of articles in this line. For sale by

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Fresh Hops, Irish Moss, Burgundy Pitch, Keg Corks. Everything in this line of the best quality. For sale upon reasonable terms.

N. B. Ten Bales Hops just received by Express.

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Crucibles, Retorts, Acids, and a general supply of all articles in this line. For sale by

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San Francisco.

PAID IN GREENBACKS!

DR. W. D. OLENDORF, OF RED BLUFF, California, availing himself of the law making Greenbacks a legal tender, has, through Messrs. Wells, Fargo & Co., tendered and paid us two hundred and seventy-five dollars in GREENBACKS (for goods purchased payable in gold coin), in full payment of his obligations to us. This amount we receipted for in full, which, of course, we were compelled to receive or get nothing.

We feel it our duty to let the public know of this, as any other transaction of like character, that they may understand who the parties are that will avail themselves of the cheap but unjust mode of paying their honest debts.

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We have on hand a large assortment of articles for Family and Hotel use, the following comprise a part only:

Flavoring Extracts,	Superior Starch,
Gelatine and Isinglass,	Bluing, liquid and in balls
Tapioca and Farina,	Pure Indigo,
Pearl Barley and Sago,	Polishing Wax for cloths,
Oat meal,	Concentrated Ley,
Yeast Powders,	Potash and Sal Soda,
Cream Tartar and Soda,	Stove Polish,
Fresh Hops.	Stove Brushes,

SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Dissecting Instruments,	Stethoscopes,
Eye Instruments,	Syringes,
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R. H. McDONALD & CO.,
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WE respectfully invite the attention of the Dental Profession to our large and complete assortment of dental goods, the following comprising a part only:

Plain and Pivot Teeth,	Ivory Handled Pluggers and Scalers,
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Teeth for Vulcanite work,	Excavators, durrs & drills
gum & plain, great variety	Screws, Punches, Hooks,
Jones & White's gold foil,	Brushes and Carundum Wheels,
Abbey & Son's Gold Foil,	Grind Stones and Polish Powders,
Watt's Crystal Foil and Sponge Gold,	Lathes,
Tin Foil and Platina plate	Mouth Mirrors, different patterns.
Gold Plate and Solder,	
Dental chairs & head rests,	
Forceps, a large variety,	
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ANATOMICAL PREPARATIONS,

Consisting of Upper and lower Maxillaries, carved exhibiting Nerves on one side and Artery and Vein on the other. Head, with carved Jaw, exposing fangs of Teeth, 32 in number.

Vulcanizers, Vulcanite Teeth, Rubber and everything for doing vulcanite work in the latest and most approved styles, together with nearly everything used by Dentists, all of which we shall sell at very low prices, and respectfully solicit Dentists to call and examine and price our goods.

Goods packed with care and forwarded, by express or otherwise, to all parts of the Pacific coast.

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DUTCH FLAT
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THIS ROAD IN NOW FULLY COMPLETED and open for business. Teamsters will find it the

SHOREST, BEST and Cheapest ROUTE

— TO —

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THERE IS ONLY ONE SUMMIT TO CROSS; the grade going East at no place exceeds **Ten Inches to the Rod**, and it is wide enough for two teams to pass each other without difficulty. The same team can transport ONE-QUARTER MORE FREIGHT THAN BY ANY OTHER ROUSE, and make the round trip to Virginia City in

THREE DAYS LESS TIME.

Teams returning from Virginia will take the Henness Pass road to Ingraham's at Stampede Valley, where the new road turns off to the left. All teams coming West without load can travel the new road

FREE OF TOLL!

Until further notice. All those taking loads at Newcastle, the terminus of the Central Pacific Railroad, three miles from Auburn, can travel the road going East, free of toll up to July, 10th, 1864.

☞ **TEAMSTERS, TRY IT!** ☜

And See for Yourselves.

CHARLES CROCKER,
jy2 instf President of the Company.

NEW ARRANGEMENT.
CALIFORNIA STAGE COMPANY.

ON AND AFTER THIS DATE, the Coaches of the "California Stage Company" will

Leave Dutch Flat daily, at 1 o'clock, A. M., for Sacramento, connecting with the cars of the Central Pacific Railroad Company, at Newcastle, and

Returning, leave Sacramento at 6¼ o'clock, A. M., and arrive at Dutch Flat at 12 o'clock, noon.

This line connects at Auburn with the coaches for Forest Hill, Todd's Valley, Yankee Jim's and Michigan Bluffs; at Illinoistown, with coaches for Iowa Hill.

Leave Dutch Flat for Visginia City daily at 12 o'clock, noon, via Dutch Flat and Donner Lake Wagon Road.

se12-tf N. I. HAMMOND, Agent.

CENTRAL PACIFIC RAILROAD

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JUNE 6, 1864, until further notice, the trains of the Central Pacific Railroad will be run as follows:

UP TRAINS LEAVE

Sacramento at 6:15 A. M., Arrive at Newcastle at 7:30 A. M.
Sacramento at 1 P. M., Arrive at Newcastle at 3:30 P. M.
Sacramento at 5 P. M., Arrive at Newcastle at 6:40 P. M.

DOWN TRAINS LEAVE

Newcastle at 6:45 A. M., Arrive at Sacramento at 8:40 A. M.
Newcastle at 10:30 A. M., Arrive at Sacramento at 12 M.
Newcastle at 5 P. M., Arrive at Sacramento at 6:40 P. M.

The 6:15 A. M. and 5 P. M. up trains connect at the junction with the cars of the California Central Railroad for Lincoln.

The 6:45 A. M. down train receives passengers from Folsom for Sacramento; and the 10:30 A. M. train connects at the same place with the cars for Folsom, and at Sacramento with the Steamers for San Francisco.

On Sunday one train only will be run, leaving Sacramento at 6:15 A. M., and Newcastle at 10:30 A. M.

Stages for Virginia City, Dutch Flat, Nevada and intermediate places connect with the cars at Newcastle at 7:30 A. M. Stages for Marysville and other points north connect at Lincoln at 7:30 A. M.

LELAND STANFORD,
je11 President C. P. R. R. Co.

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FORWARDING AND COMMISSION
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— AND —
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
FLOUR, GRAIN AND PRODUCE,
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All Goods marked "Care of PACIFIC CO." will receive our prompt attention. je11-tf

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Corner of Sacramento and Main streets,
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F. GROHS, DESIRES TO INform the public that he constantly keeps on hand a good assortment of fresh BEEF, PORK, MUTTON and Homemade SAUSAGE, which he sells at the most reasonable rates. Persons at a distance supplied daily.

March 13, 1862—tf

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BOOT, SHOE
AND
DRY GOODS STORE,
MAIN STREET, DUTCH FLAT.

R. HUDEPOHL & CO., RESPECTFULLY informs the public of Dutch Flat that they have on hand and are constantly receiving a well assorted stock of

COATS, PANTS, VESTS,
BOOTS, SHOES, GAITERS,
BLANKETS, TRUNKS, VALISES,
LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDRENS'
GAITERS, SHOES AND TIES,

From the most celebrated Eastern manufactories together with an excellent supply of

Gentlemens' Furnishing Goods,

Which they are enabled, from their connection with houses below, to sell at the lowest market prices.

☞ Particular attention paid to the manufacturing and repairing of boots and shoes. ap3-tf

DENTAL CASES.

Chevalier's Best, containing a large number of Instruments, Mouth Mirrors, etc. Cases made of mahogany, brass bound, with drawers, etc., all complete. Price according to size and style—from $75 to $175, each.

DENTAL BOOKS.

We keep constantly on hand a supply of all the most approved Standard Works on Dentistry. Our efforts will be to keep a large and well selected stock of all Dental Material, where the Dental Profession may confidently rely upon having their orders filled in the best possible manner.

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SODA WATER MATERIAL.

Corks, Acids, Essential Oils, Whiting, Marble Dust Soda Twine. Everything in the line.

For sale by R. H. McDONALD & CO.

MINING ROPE.

IRON AND STEEL WIRE ROPE.—FLAT AND ROUND—for hoisting from deep shafts and inclines.

Made in ANY LENGTH and of ANY SIZE,
AT THE MANUFACTORY OF
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The first cost of WIRE and MANILLA ROPE of equal strength is about the same per foot. A Wire Rope, properly applied, will outwear from three to five Manila Rope. je25-3mis

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SENATE SALOON.
Main Street, Opposite the Express.

THE UNDERSIGNED DESIRES TO INFORM the citizens of Dutch Flat and his friends generally that he has leased this well known stand where he will constantly keept he best

Wines and Liquors

to be had in the market. Cigars of the best brands always on hand. A call from those partial to pure beverages solicited. DAVID MAYER.

November 12, 1863.—tf

PLACER BREWERY.
BOOMERANG.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED this well known establishment and favorite resort, will hereafter keep it in the best style, having always on hand the best

Wines and Liquors

Cigars and fresh brewed lager. By strict attention to business and accommodation to customers he hopes to obtain a share of public patronage. Call and see me.

March 13th, 1862.—tf J. F. MEYER.

BED ROCK SALOON
MAIN STREET, DUTCH FLAT,

GEO. L. SLOCUM,..... Proprietor.

KEEP CONSTANTLY on hand the finest

Wines, Brandies, Cigars

and playing cards in the market, in lots to suit customers. Billiard Balls, Cues and Cue Waters purchased for customers at lowest city prices.

December 4, 1862.—tf

PICTURE GALLERY!
NEARLY OPPOSITE THE THEATRE.

THE UNDERSIGNED INFORMS THE ladies and gentlemen of Dutch Flat and vicinity that having made improvements in the art, he is now prepared to take likenesses in any manner desired.

Ambrotypes and Photographs!

taken to order. Those desirous of sending their likenesses to the "Old Folks at Home" have now an opportunity. All work guaranteed to give satisfaction. O. B. SILVER.

May 28, 1863.—tf.

DUTCH FLAT SAW MILL.

THE ABOVE SAW MILL being the oldest established mill now in operation in the vicinity of Dutch Flat, having been lately repaired, is now capable of cutting lumber equal to the most celebrated mills in Placer county. We have on hand a general assortment of seasoned and green lumber, hard and soft lumber, and having

Reduced the Prices!

to correspond with the times, will sell as LOW if not a *little* lower than any other Saw-Mill in this vicinity.

We are now receiving in the yard a large and superior lot of saw logs, and can fill orders for lumber with dispatch of all usual dimensions, varying in length from 10 to 30 feet.

Being situated within a few hundred yards of Dutch Flat, and convenient to most of the valuable mining claims, offer superior inducements to

Miners and Builders

Who will find it to their interest to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

☞ Lumber delivered to any point within ten miles. ALLEN TOWLE.

Dutch Flat, June 24th, 1860.

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Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Wakefullness, Weak Back, Heart Disease, Mental and Physical Debility, Impotency, Timidity, and all diseases arising from derangement of the Nervous System, can be readily cured by the use of

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HENRY RUNKLE.....PROPRIETOR.

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Bread, Cakes and Pies

always on hand, together with an excellent assortment of

Wines, Liquors and Cigars!

and an attentive and accommodating bar-tender always ready to attend to the *spiritual* wants of those who may favor him with a call.

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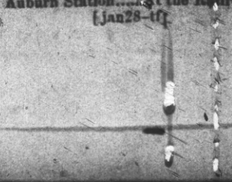
WM. H. HILLHOUSE,

Will constantly keep on hand all kinds of

HARDWARE!

STOVES,



STOVES.

TINWARE, &c., &c.,

Something Just Received of Great Importance to Miners!

The subscriber takes this early opportunity of announcing to the "Honest Miners," that he is prepared to furnish Iron, Hydraulic Pipe and fixtures, as expeditiously and on as reasonable terms, (per lb. or foot, or any other way), as "any other man." All persons intending to fit up their Claims with Iron Pipe this fall will consult their interests by calling on me before contracting elsewhere.

Together with a general assortment of all articles in his line. Particular attention paid to the manufacture of

Hydraulic Pipe, Hose Pipe!

or anything else pertaining to his business, or the wants of a mining community, at reasonable rates.

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(SUCCESSORS TO)
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Forwarding and Commission
MERCHANTS,
AND DEALERS IN
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A BREATHING PICTURE.—Grace Greenwood, in a recent lecture, drew the following vivid picture in the future:

"Back upon these troublous times will our children look in reverence and awe. The sons of our brave soldiers will date their patents of nobility on grander battle-fields, than Agincourt or Bannockburn. Such patents of nobility as no royal herald's office has symbols sufficiently glorious for. Many a *coat* of arms in those days will have one sleeve hanging empty. We may picture to ourselves a group of noble young lads, some ten years hence, thus accounting for their orphanage—an orphanage which the country should see to it shall not be desolate. Says one, '*My* father fell in beating back the invaders of Gettysburg.' Says another, '*My* father fell on Lookout Mountain, fighting above the clouds.' Says a third, '*My* father suffered *martyrdom* in Libby Prison.' Says another, '*My* father went down in the Cumberland;' yet another, '*My* father was rocked into the long sleep below the wave, in the iron cradle of the Monitor.' And there will be hapless lads who will listen in mournful envy, saying, in their secret hearts, 'Alas, we have no part nor lot in such glorifying—'*Our* fathers were *rebels!*' And here and there a youth, less fortunate, who will steal away from his comrades and murmur, in bitterness of soul, 'Ah, God help *me! My* father was a *Copperhead!*'"

APPEARANCE OF THE SUN FROM THE NORTH POLE.—To a person standing at the north pole the sun appears to sweep horizontally around the sky every twenty-four hours without any perceptible variation during its circuit in its distance from the horizon. On the 21st of June it is 23 deg. 28 min. above the horizon, a little more than one-fourth of the distance to the zenith, the highest point that it ever reaches.—From this altitude it slowly descends, its track being represented by a spiral or screw with a very fine thread, and in the course of three months it worms its way down to the horizon, which it reaches on the 23d of September. On this day it slowly sweeps around the sky with its face half hidden below the icy sea. It still continues to descend, and after it has entirely disappeared it is so near the horizon that it carries a bright twilight around the heavens in its daily circuit. As the sun sinks lower and lower, this twilight gradually grows fainter till it fades away. On the 20th of December the sun is 23 deg. 28 min. below the horizon, and this is the midnight of the dark winter of the pole. From this date the sun begins to ascend, and after a time his return is heralded by a faint dawn which circles slowly around the horizon, completing its circuit every twenty-four hours. This dawn grows gradually brighter, and on the 20th of March the peaks of ice are gilded with the first level rays of the six-months' day. The bringer of this long day continues to wind his spiral way upwards, till he reaches his highest place on the 21st of June, and his annual course is then completed.

THE GAMBLING HELLS OF GERMANY.—These places are turning out their usual number of victims. The following cases have occurred within the last few months in connection with Homburg and Weisbaden alone: A bookkeeper in a Frankfort banking house, cut his throat in the baths, at Homburg, last November. In the beginning of March a young Frenchman, after having played away his last franc, committed suicide by cutting open the blood-vessels at his pulse, and allowing himself to bleed to death. On the 2nd of May, a man from Kreuznach, who had lost the whole of his money at the gaming table of Weisbaden, hung himself at an inn at Mayence. He left a wife and ten children behind. In Kirtorf, a village near Homburg, the body of a gambler was discovered in a pond. On the 17th of May the body of a confectioner's apprentice was found in the river Maine. Before falling into the water he had shot himself with a pistol through the head.—He left a letter behind stating that his losses in Homburg had driven him to suicide. On the 22nd of May, a waiter, twenty-one years old, living in Frankfort, who had lost all his savings at Homburg drowned himself in the Maine.

THE HAIR.—The color and quality of the hair was a subject of speculative theory for the ancients. Lank hair was considered indicative of pusillanimity and cowardice; yet the head of Napoleon was guiltless of a curl. Frizzly hair was thought an indication of coarseness and clumsiness. The hair most in esteem was that terminating in ringlets. Dares, the historian, states that Achilles and Ajax and Telemon had curling locks, such also was the hair of Timon, the Athenian. As to the Emperor Augustus, nature had favored him with such redundant locks that no hair-dresser in Rome could produce the like. Auburn, or light brown hair, was thought the most distinguished, as portending intelligence, industry, a peaceful disposition, as well as great susceptibility to the tender passion. Castor and Pollux had brown hair, so also had Menelaus. Black hair does not seem to have been esteemed by the Romans; but red hair was an object of aversion. Ages before the time of Judas, red hair was thought a mark of reprobation, both in the case of Typhon, who deprived his brother of the sceptre of Egypt, and Nebuchadnezzar, who acquired it in expiation of his atrocities. Even the donkey tribe suffered from this ill omened visitation, according to the proverb of "Wicked as a red ass."—Asses of that color were held in such detestation among the Copths, that every year they were in the habit of sacrificing one by hurling it from a high wall.

THE TOWER OF BABEL.—After ten miles ride, we were at the foot of Bierre Nimroud. Our horses feet were trampling upon the remains of bricks, which showed here and there the accumulated dust and rubbish of ages. Before our eyes uprose a great mound of earth, barren and bare. This was Bierre Nimroud, the ruins of the Tower of Babel, by which the first builders of the earth had vainly hoped to scale high heaven. Here, also, it was that Nebuchadnezzar built; for bricks bearing his name have been found in the ruins. At the top of the mound a great mass of brick work pierces the accumulated soil. With your finger you touch the very bricks, large, square-shaped and massive; that were thoroughly burned; the very mortar—the lime, now hard as granite—handled more than four thousand years ago by earth's impious people. From the summit of the mound, far away, over the plain, we could see glistening, brilliant as a star, the guilded dome of a mosque, that caught and reflected the bright rays of the morning sun. This glittering speck was the tomb of the holy Allah. To pray before this at some period of his life; to kiss the sacred dust of the earth around, to bend his body and count his beads, is the daily desire of every devout Mohammedan.—*Blackwood.*

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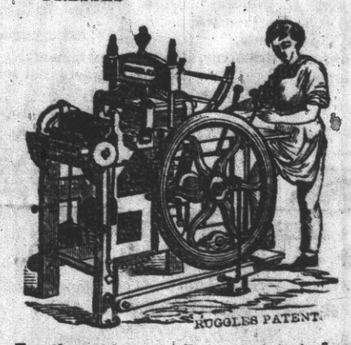
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